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Sir:

Under the provisions of 37 C.F.R. §1.97, et seq., including specifically subsections (g) and (h) thereof,

Applicant(s) call to the attention of the Examiner the following documents:

U. S. Patent 5,265,770 (Matkovich et al.)

U. S. Patent 5,427,844 (Murai et al.)

U. S. Patent 5,849,311 (Sawan et al.)

Japanese Unexamined Patent Application H11-124729 (Kuraray Co., Ltd.)

AATCC Test Method 76-1995

AATCC Test Method 100-1993

AATCC Test Method 130-1981

The above-listed references are provided for the examiner's review and entry in the record herein.

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